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This is in further response to the Office action of April 18, 2007. A previous request for reconsideration was denied by advisory action on August 10, 2007. A request for continued examination and the required fee are submitted herewith.

A request for two months' extension is also submitted herewith along with the required fee.

Please grant any extension needed to avoid abandonment, and charge any deficiencies in the extension fee, and in the fee for continued examination, to deposit account 08-3040.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

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